

HF Happenings 924

Sun shine is good for your radio, get outdoors!



ZS/WC-043 on Table Mountain

The RaDAR Challenge

The third RaDAR Challenge for 2020 takes place from 00:00 UTC to 23:59 UTC on Saturday 7 November 2020. It is a twenty-four hour activity, but you only need to operate for 4 hours, you choose the 4 hours. You may use all amateur bands including cross band contacts via amateur radio satellites. Modes – CW, SSB, FM or any legal amateur radio digital mode.

The RaDAR challenge requires more than a minimalistic information exchange. Accurate information exchange is considered more important than a large QSO count. Call sign, name, RS (T) report and grid locator. The grid locator of six characters is acceptable but should preferably be accurate to 8 or 10 characters for higher position accuracy (especially for moving RaDAR stations).

Get all the information in the 2020 Blue Book.

November

7 - RaDAR Challenge

10 and 11 - Taurids meteor shower

11 - Armistice Day - 11 November 1918

12a Paraskevidekatriaphobia

14 - World Diabetes Day

14 and 15 - SARL VHF/UHF Analogue contest

15 – 75th anniversary of the DXCC programme

17 and 18 - Leonids meteor shower

18 - SARL 80 m Wednesday Club Sprint

21 SARL Newbie Party

28 - West Rand Flea Market

28 and 29 - the CQ WW DX CW Contest

December

1 - start of YOTA Month

3 - International Day for Persons with Disabilities

5 – Radio Amateur Examination and SARL 95 40 m Club Sprint

7 - International Civil Aviation Day 10 - International Human Rights Day; Chanukah

11 - International Mountain Day

12 and 13 - the ARRL 10 m Contest

13 and 14 - Geminids meteor shower

16 - Day of Reconciliation

21 - Summer Solstice (12:02); conjunction of Jupiter and Saturn

21 and 22 - Ursids meteor shower

25 – Christmas Day

26 - Family Day

31 - End of YOTA Month and the CQ DX Marathon

The UNOFFICIAL Results of the SARL 80 m QSO Party

Eleven logs were received for the second leg of the SARL 80 m QSO Party held on 1 October. About 48 stations participated.

1st Jan Botha, ZS4JAN – 495 points

2nd Helmar Otto, ZS1H - 315 points

3rd Andre Wiese, ZS4AW - 270 points

4th Dennis Green, ZS4BS operating ZS95SARL - points

5th Woody Collet, ZS3WL - 190 points

6th Roy Walsh, ZS3RW - 155 points

7th Jack Kotze, ZS6JJK - 130 points

8th Veronika Kotze, ZS6TVK - 120 points

9th Dylan Macdonald, ZS2MAC - 110 points 10th Mike Alberts, V51MA – 70 points 11th Marius Lubbe, ZS1ML - 50 points

DXCC'S Most Wanted - ClubLog

The "DXCC Most Wanted" entities list has been updated on ClubLog as of 27 October. The list contains 340 entities. No changes in the "Top 26" since we last reported back on 3 October. The complete "DXCC Most Wanted" entities list (340) is available at https://secure.clublog.org/mostwanted.php. The following are the top 26 entities:

- 1. P5 DPRK (North Korea)
- 2. 3Y/B Bouvet Island
- 3. FT5/W Crozet Island
- 4. BS7H Scarborough Reef
- 5. CEOX San Felix Islands
- 6. BV9P Pratas Island
- 7. KH7K Kure Island
- 8. KH3 Johnston Island
- 9. 3Y/P Peter 1 Island
- 10. FT5/X Kerguelen Island
- 11. FT/G Glorioso Island
- 12. VKOM Macquarie Island
- 13. YVO Aves Island
- 14. KH4 Midway Island
- 15. ZS8 Prince Edward and Marion Islands
- 16. PYOS Saint Peter and Paul Rocks
- 17. PYOT Trindade and Martim Vaz Islands
- 18. KP5 Desecheo Island
- 19. SV/A Mount Athos
- 20. VP8S South Sandwich Islands
- 21. KH5 Palmyra and Jarvis Islands
- 22. JD/M Minami Torishima
- 23. ZL9 New Zealand Subantarctic Islands
- 24. EZ Turkmenistan
- 25. YK Syria
- 26. FK/C Chesterfield Island

African DX

Contacts with stations on the African continent count towards the SARL's All Africa Award (www.sarl.org.za/public/awards/awards.asp)



Malawi, 7Q. Operators from the Russian Robinson Club (RRC) will be active as 7Q7RU near Embangweni, Malawi, between 7 and 18 November. Operators mentioned are Lilia, EW7L; Vasily, R7AL; Vladimir, R9LR; Vasily, RA1ZZ; Al, RZ3K and possibly others (on-site support from Don, K6ZO/7Q6M; Junior, 7Q7JN and Andy, UA3FQ). Activity will be on 160, 80, 60, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10, 6, 2 metres (with a focus on 160 and 80 m) and 70 cm using CW, SSB, FT8 (F, H mode) and Satellites. QSL via R7AL, LoTW or ClubLog's OQRS. For more details and updates, see: https://dxpedition.wixsite.com/7q7ru. ADDED NOTE: The RRC team announced this past week, the "MALAWI 2020 7Q7RU" plaque. This plaque is issued for contacts with the Russian Team 7Q7RU. To get this plaque you need to work 3 QSOs with 7Q7RU between 7 and 19 November 2020. Plaque's size 200 x 250 mm. Plaque's fee 44 USDs or 39 EURs. Payment is via PayPal (VershkovKN@gmail.com). The

fee includes shipping by air mail. For the top 10 radio operators that fulfils the plaque's requirements first, they will receive a special plaque free of charge starting with number 001. All logs for checking will be uploaded to ClubLog service. Questions and/or applications free form should be sent to RW3DD (VershkovKN@gmail.com). For more info or to see the plaque, go to http://www.dxwanted.net/index.php/plaques/other/603-malawi-2020-7q7ru

Djibouti, J2. Reports indicate that Rene, DL2JRM, will once again be active as J28XX from Djibouti. Activity will probably be on 80 - 10 metres using CW and SSB with 100 watts into a Vertical antenna. QSL via his home callsign, direct or by the Bureau. Look for more information to be forthcoming.



Burkina Faso, XT. Al, F8FUA, will once again be active as XT2BR from Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso, sometime in 2021. He usually uses an Elecraft K3 with 100 watts into a hexbeam and dipoles, operating on CW, SSB, RTTY and FT8 (DXpedition mode) if possible. Log will be updated when possible depending on his Internet access. QSL direct (with SAE and 2 USDs) or via the REF QSL Bureau. After his operation, Al usually uploads his log to LoTW. Look for more details to be forthcoming.

South Sudan, Z8. Sigfrido, IW9FMD (5H0RS, 7Q7RS, HB9FFN, T6AB), is once again active as Z81S from South Sudan. The length of his stay is unknown. He is there working with the United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) in South Sudan). Activity will be limited to his free time, but most of his operations has been on 15 metres SSB so far. QSL via IT9YVO direct only.

African Islands

Kerguelen Island, FT/X. Gildas, TU5KG, is now active as FT5XT/MM off of Kerguelen Island. Operating as Maritime Mobile (/MM) does not count for DXCC. However, Gildas, who is on a fishing boat, has been known to sometimes go ashore and operate. He has operated as FT5XP in 2006, FT5XR in 2008, FT5XS in 2009 and FT5XT in 2010/2011/2016. Watch the QSNs carefully on the DXCluster spots. QSL via F4DXW.

Contest Calendar

This week's contests as compiled by Bruce Horn, WA7BNM. The period covered is 2 to 9 November 2020

Classic Exchange, CW

14:00 UTC 1 November to 08:00 UTC 2 November and 14:00 UTC 3 November to

08:00 UTC 4 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 m

Classes: (see rules)

Exchange: Name, RST, state, province or country and rcvr/xmtr manuf/model

Work stations: Once per band per mode per

rcr/xmtr manuf/model QSO Points: (see rules) Multipliers: (see rules) Score Calculation: Total score = sum (total mode QSO points x total mode mults) and

Bonus Points

Submit logs by: 31 January 2021 E-mail logs to: k2rp@arrl.net

Mail logs to: K2RP, 659 Shanas Lane, Encinitas,

CA 92024, USA Find rules at:

http://www.classicexchange.org/announcmen

ts/Fall 2020 CX Rules.pdf

K1USN Slow Speed Test

00:00 - 01:00 UTC 2 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and

state, province or country Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with same country; 20 points per QSO with different country, same continent; 30 points per QSO with different country, different continent Multipliers: Each state/province/country once

per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 4 November 2020

Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html



RSGB 80 m Autumn Data Series 20:00 - 21:30 UTC 2 November Geographic Focus: United Kingdom

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY, PSK Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: 100 watts; 10 watts Exchange: RST and serial no QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 5 November 2020 Upload log at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-

bin/hfenter.pl Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2020/rautum

n.shtml

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest

01:00 - 01:59 UTC 3 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high; Overlay: Youth (26 years old or younger); Youth YL (female 26 years old or younger); YL (female

older than 26 years

Max power: HP: 1500 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RS and age group (OM, YL, Youth YL

or Youth)

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with OM; 5 points per QSO with YL; 10 points per QSO with Youth; 15 points per QSO with Youth YL Multipliers: Each DXCC once per band Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 01:59 UTC 4 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: https://logs.wwsac.com/

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: https://wwsac.com/rules.html

ARS Spartan Sprint

02:00 - 04:00 UTC 3 November Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m Classes: Skinny; Tubby Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST, state, province or country and

power

Work stations: Once per band Submit logs by: 5 November 2020

E-mail logs to: spartansprint@yahoo.com

Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

http://arsqrp.blogspot.com/2009/02/so-whats-spartan-sprint-and-how-do-i.html

RTTYOPS Week Sprint

17:00 - 19:00 UTC 3 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: Single Op

Max operating hours: 2 hours

Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial

no and your name

Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 10 November 2020

E-mail logs to: rtty-week-tuesday@nrrlcontest.no
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:

https://rttyops.wordpress.com/rtty-mini-

contests/rttyops-Week Sprint/

QRP Fox Hunt

02:00 - 03:30 UTC 4 November Geographic Focus: United States

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 40 m Only

Classes: Single Op - fox or hound

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST, state, province or country,

name and power output QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 03:30 UTC 5 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:

http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

Phone Fray

02:30 - 03:00 UTC 4 November Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 m

Classes: Single Op Max power: 100 watts

Exchange: NA: Name and state, province or

country; non-NA: Name Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO; non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7) once per band; Each VE province/territory once per band; Each North American country

(except W/VE) once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 6 November 2020

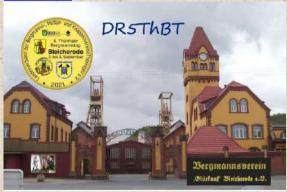
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com

Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

http://www.perluma.com/Phone Fray Contes

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CWops Mini-CWT Test

13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 4 November and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 5 November

Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide Awards: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Member: Name and member no or CWA; non-Member: Name and state, province

or country

Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO Multipliers: Each call once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 7 November 2020

Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/

UKEICC 80 m Contest

20:00 - 21:00 UTC 4 November

Geographic Focus: Europe Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: Single Op Connected - QRP, low or

high

Single Op Unconnected - QRP, low or high Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: 6-Character grid square

QSO Points: 1 point per 500 km (10 pts max); multiply QSO points by 2 if low power station; multiply QSO points by 4 if QRP station

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 22:00 UTC 4 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: http://logs.ukeicc.com/cgi-

bin/hfenter.pl
Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: https://www.ukeicc.com/80 m-

rules.php



RTTYOPS Week Sprint

17:00 - 19:00 UTC 5 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m Classes: Single Op

Max operating hours: 2 hours

Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial

no and your name

Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 12 November 2020

E-mail logs to: rtty-week-thursday@nrrlcontest.no

Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:

https://rttyops.wordpress.com/rtty-mini-

contests/rttyops-Week Sprint/

NRAU 10 m Activity Contest

18:00 - 19:00 UTC (CW) and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC (SSB) and 20:00 - 21:00 UTC (FM) and 21:00 -

22:00 UTC (Dig) 5 November Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe

Participation: Worldwide Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital

Bands: 10 m Only

Classes: Single Op: Multi-Op

Exchange: RS(T) and 6-character grid square

QSO Points: (see rules) Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 19 November 2020 E-mail logs to: 10m@nrrlcontest.no

Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:

https://nrrlcontest.no/index.php/nrrlcontests/nrau-nac/10 m/nrau-nac-10 menglish-rules/278-nrau-nac-10 m-englishrules.html

SKCC Sprint Europe

20:00 - 22:00 UTC 5 November Geographic Focus: Europe Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: (none)

Exchange: RST, state, province or country,

name and SKCC no or power Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: (see rules)

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Multipliers: Each state, province, or country

once

Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) and bonus points
Submit logs by: 12 November 2020
E-mail log summary to: (none)

Post log summary at:

http://www.skccgroup.com/operating activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit id=165

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

http://www.skccgroup.com/operating activiti
es/skse/

NCCC RTTY Sprint

01:45 - 02:15 UTC 6 November Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY Bands: (see rules) Classes: (none)

Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 8 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none) Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com/

Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:

http://www.ncccsprInternationalcom/rttyns.ht

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QRP Fox Hunt

02:00 - 03:30 UTC 6 November Geographic Focus: United States

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW Bands: 80 m Only

Classes: Single Op - hound or fox

Max power: 5 watts

Exchange: RST, state, province or country,

name and power output QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 03:30 UTC 7 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

NCCC Sprint

02:30 - 03:00 UTC 6 November Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: (see rules) Classes: (none)

Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 8 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none) Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com/

Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

http://www.ncccsprInternationalcom/rules.ht

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Day of the YLs Contest

00:00 UTC 7 November to 23:59 UTC 8

November

Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide Mode: CW, SSB, Digital Bands: 80, 40, 20, 10, 2 m

Classes: YL; OM

Exchange: RS(T) and YL/OM

Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: (see rules) Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 16 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none) Post log summary at:

http://www.3830scores.com

Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

https://ka1uln.blogspot.com/p/the-day-of-

yls.html

IPARC CW Contest

05:00 - 12:00 UTC 7 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op; SWL Exchange: USA IPA Members: RST, serial no, IPA and state; non-USA IPA Members: RST, serial no and IPA; non-IPA Members: RST and

serial no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO; 5 points per QSO

with IPA Member

Multipliers: Each country once per band (QSO must be with IPA member to count as mult); Each US state once per band (QSO must be

with IPA member to count as mult)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 30 November 2020 E-mail logs to: ipa-contest@online.de Mail logs to: Christiane Ruething, DL4CR, Gauszstr. 55, 63071 Offenbach, Germany

Find rules at: http://www.iparc.de



SKCC Weekend Sprintathon

12:00 UTC 7 November to 24:00 UTC 8

November

Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide Awards: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m

Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op Max operating hours: 24

Exchange: RST, state, province or country,

name and SKCC no or "NONE" Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO Bonus Points: (see rules)

Multipliers: Each state, province, or country

once

Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) and bonus points
Submit logs by: 15 November 2020

Post log summary at:

http://www.skccgroup.com/operating activities/weekend sprintathon/submit-display.php

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

http://www.skccgroup.com/operating activiti
es/weekend sprintathon/

Ukrainian DX Contest

12:00 UTC 7 November to 12:00 UTC 8

November

Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op All Band Mixed - QRP, low or high; Single Op All Band – CW or SSB – low or high; Single Op Single Band Mixed; Multi-Single

Mixed

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Ukraine: RS(T) and 2-letter oblast;

non-Ukraine: RS(T) and serial no

Work stations: Once per band per mode – CW

and SSB

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same country; 2 points per QSO with different country, same continent; 3 points per QSO with different continent; non-UR Stations: 10

points per QSO with Ukraine

Multipliers: UR Stations: each DXCC/WAE country once per band; non-UR Stations: each DXCC/WAE country once per band; non-UR Stations: each Ukraine oblast once per band Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 8 December 2020 E-mail logs to: urdxc@ukr.net

Web-to-Cabrillo form:

http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ukrainiandx_cab.php

Mail logs to: Ukrainian Contest Club HQ, PO Box 4850, Zaporozhye 69118, Ukraine

Find rules at:

http://urdxc.org/rules.php?english

RTTYOPS Weekend Sprint 16:00 - 19:59 UTC 7 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op (Wires Only); Single Op Multi-Band; Single Op Portable; Single Op Mobile; Multi-Op (Max 2 ops due to COVID-19) Max operating hours: 4 hours

Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no, your name and 6-character grid locator

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per km between stations; 500 points bonus if new 4-character locator

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points and bonus points

Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 14 November 2020 E-mail logs to: rtty-weekend@nrrlcontest.no

Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:

https://rttyops.wordpress.com/rtty-minicontests/rttyops-weekend-sprint/

ARRL Sweepstakes CW Contest

21:00 UTC 7 November to 03:00 UTC 9

November

Geographic Focus: United States/Canada Participation: United States/Canada

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high; Single Op Unlimited - QRP, low or high; Multi-Single – low or high; School Club – College, Technical or

Secondary

Max operating hours: 24 with at least 30

minute off times

Max power: HP: >150 watts; LP: 150 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Serial no, precedence

(Q/A/B/U/M/S), your call sign, check and

ARRL/RAC Section
Work stations: Once only

QSO Points: 2 points per QSO

Multipliers: Each ARRL/RAC section and VE NT

once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 16 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at: http://contest-log-

submission.arrl.org
Web-to-Cabrillo form:

http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/arrlsscw_cab3.

php

Mail logs to: November SS CW, ARRL, 225 Main

St., Newington, CT 06111, USA

Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/sweepstakes

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party 23:00 UTC 7 November to 23:00 UTC 8 November and 23:00 UTC 14 November to

23:00 UTC 15 November

Geographic Focus: United States

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: (none)

Max power: 25 watts input

Exchange: RST, name, QTH, Eqpt Year, Transmitter Type (see rules for format) and

Input Power (W)

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 20 December 2020 E-mail logs to: wb7whg@arrl.net

Mail logs to: Dave Parker, 1107 NW 15th St,

Bend, OR 97703, USA

Find rules at:

https://antiquewireless.org/homepage/bk-

qso-party-details/



IPARC SSB Contest

05:00 - 12:00 UTC 8 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op; Multi-Single; SWL Classes: Single Op; Multi-Op; SWL

Exchange: USA IPA Members: RST, serial no, IPA and state; non-USA IPA Members: RST, serial no and IPA; non-IPA Members: RST and

serial no

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO; 5 points per QSO

with IPA Member

Multipliers: Each country once per band (QSO must be with IPA member to count as mult);

Each US state once per band (QSO must be

with IPA member to count as mult)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points x total mults

Submit logs by: 30 November 2020 E-mail logs to: ipa-contest@online.de Mail logs to: Christiane Ruething, DL4CR. Gauszstr. 55, 63071 Offenbach, Germany

Find rules at: http://www.iparc.de



EANET Sprint

08:00 - 12:00 UTC 8 November Geographic Focus: Worldwide Participation: Worldwide

Mode: Any Bands: Anv

Classes: Individual - Spain or non-Spain

Club - Spain or non-Spain - member or friend

Exchange: RS(T) Work stations: Once

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with an

individual; 3 points per QSO with a friend radio club; 5 points per QSO with a member radio

club

Multipliers: Each ISO 3166-1 country once;

Each continent once

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total countries x total continents Submit logs by: 18 November 2020 E-mail logs to: eanet-sprint@fediea.org

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

https://fediea.org/news/?news=20201108

4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint

01:00 - 03:00 UTC 9 November Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op

Exchange: Member: RS(T), state, province or country and member no; Non-member: RS(T),

state, province or country and power

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with nonmember; 2 points per QSO with member

Multipliers: (none)

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO

points

Submit logs by: 11 November 2020

E-mail logs to: (none) Post log summary at:

http://qrpcontest.com/4sqrp

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

http://www.4sqrp.com/SSS/sss rules.pdf

Next Week's Contests

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party, 23:00 UTC 7 November to 23:00 UTC 8 November and 23:00 UTC 14 November to 23:00 UTC 15 November

K1USN Slow Speed Test, 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 10 November

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 10 November

RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 10 November

QRP Fox Hunt, 02:00 - 03:30 UTC 11 November

Phone Fray, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 11 November

CWops Mini-CWT Test, 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 11 November and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 12 November

RSGB 80 m Autumn SSB Series, 20:00 - 21:30 UTC 11 November

RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 12 November

NCCC RTTY Sprint, 01:45 - 02:15 UTC 13 November

QRP Fox Hunt, 02:00 - 03:30 UTC 13 November

NCCC Sprint, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 13 November

WAE DX RTTY Contest, 00:00 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 15 November

PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint, 00:00 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 16 November 10-10 International Fall Digital Contest, 00:01 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 15 November JIDX Phone Contest, 07:00 UTC 14 November to 13:00 UTC 15 November OK/OM DX CW Contest, 12:00 UTC 14 November to 12:00 UTC 15 November CQ-WE Contest, 19:00 - 23:00 UTC 14 November (CW/Digital) and 01:00 - 05:00 UTC 15 November (Phone) and 19:00 - 23:00 UTC 15 November (Phone) and 01:00 - 05:00 UTC 16 November (CW/Digital) Homebrew and Oldtime Equipment Party, 13:00 - 15:00 UTC 15 November (40 m) and 15:00 - 17:00 UTC 15 November (80 m)

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest, 23:00 UTC 15 November to 01:00 UTC 16 November K1USN Slow Speed Test, 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 16 November RSGB FT4 Contest Series, 20:00 - 21:30 UTC 16 November Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 17 November RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 17 November

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